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Death Takes Prominent Grayling Citizens

Three deaths occurred this week that means much to Grayling—Rasmus Hanson, pioneer lumberman; Edward S. Houghton, surveyor and timberman of this city, and C. T. Kerry, Saginaw, president Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co. Mr. Hanson and Mr. Houghton passed away Monday evening, and Mr. Kerry early the following morning.

R. HANSON PASSED AWAY MONDAY

WAS ONE OF MICHIGAN'S PIONEER LUMBERMEN.

For Half a Century Directed Grayling's Industries.

Rasmus Hanson, Grayling's best known citizen, passed away peacefully at his home here Monday evening at 9:37 o'clock. He had made a noble fight against an attack of pneumonia, which was the second one this year, but he lacked the strength to recover. He also had been greatly weakened some time ago by a stroke of paralysis. He was 81 years of age.

Although Mr. Hanson's recovery had appeared quite doubtful for several days, still the news of his passing was a very decided shock to the people of this city where he had resided for nearly a half century, and it cast a gloom of deep sorrow over its citizens. The news of his passing spread rapidly over the city and messages early announced it to the outside world.

We love to think of Mr. Hanson as we knew him—a keen, intelligent business man, an indefatigable worker, a loyal citizen and faithful worker, a loyal citizen and faithful worker, a loyal citizen and faithful worker.

In the obituary of his life that is taken from an autobiographical sketch many things are not mentioned that are of interest and that reflect to his great credit. His love for his chosen country led him to generous acts that are well known to a few of his most intimate friends.

From among our youths who were privileged to answer the call of patriotism when its country was in need will recall Mr. Hanson's generosity when each and every one was favored with a check for an amount that might enable him to furnish some of the many personal wants that are known to soldiers and that are not supplied by the Department of War.

It made no difference whether a young man answered the draft or if he made voluntary enlistment, he was given a check by Mr. Hanson of \$25.00, and if it wasn't given to him before he left, he was looked up and the check mailed. This practice was carried out during the war with Spain as well as during the World War.

Mr. Hanson's gift to the State of 15,000 acres at what was then Portage Lake (now Lake Margrethe) was certainly a generous event and has proved to be the most valuable service anywhere in America. This in 1899, was superseded by a new mill is destined to remain indefinitely a lasting memorial to his philanthropy.

This was followed later by his gift of a beautiful club house a large amount of pine, and hardwood which has been used and enjoyed to the fullest by the officers of the guard and others.

During the World War Mr. Hanson not only was generous in his contributions to the war funds of Crawford county but lent his aid to some of the neighboring counties.

And too, those of us upon whom the

duties of raising funds for local events and in the making up of just deficits have always found him faithful and ready to respond whenever needed.

While always interested in politics it may truthfully be said of him that he seldom if ever, interfered locally but was willing that the people do the choosing and he was the last to complain should their selections not always have turned out wisely.

In the passing of Mr. Hanson, Grayling is losing one of its most loyal citizens, one who loved his own home city, and a sincere friend.

He was a member of the Danish Lutheran church into which faith he received his baptism early in life. By his wealth he was able to assist his church but his benevolence did not terminate there. All churches in our community profited from his contributions. And Mercy Hospital, one of the finest institutions in Northern Michigan, would never have been instituted except for the financial and moral support he gave it.

Obituary Rasmus Hanson, of the firm of Salling, Hanson & Co., Grayling, Mich., was born at Vester Kipping, Falster, Denmark, Oct. 14, 1846.

He attended the common schools until he was 14 years old, and was then confirmed in the Lutheran church. He worked on his father's farm until the fall of 1863, when the war broke out between Denmark and the German confederacy.

When, in connection with another party, he started out as an army sutler, but circumstances were unfavorable and the venture yielded no profits. He returned to his father's farm, but found farm life too slow for his energies, and he finally agreed only to build up a very substantial competence but also a large circle of friends among his home citizens.

He then came to the United States, landed in New York the 15th. He devoted himself to the interior, and located at Racine, Wis., where he lived out on a farm and worked four months. He then went to Manitowish, Mich., where he met Mr. B. Sweet on the wharf and hired out at \$20.00 per month. In a very short time he worked himself up to the position of foreman for the firm, for whom he continued to work until 1867.

Having accumulated a little money, he became associated with Ernest N. Salling in buying timber and lumbering it and selling the logs, and also getting out logs for other parties. In the fall of 1871 he sold out to Engleman, Babcock & Salling, and was engaged as woods manager by this firm, with whom he continued for two years. In the meantime he had associated himself with Neils Michelson in logging and logging, and after leaving the employ of the former firm he engaged the firm of Michelson, Hanson & Co., which in 1873 was merged in the new firm of R. Hanson & Co.

This firm continued to operate until the spring of 1878, when the name was changed to Salling, Hanson & Co. Mr. Salling having joined the new firm.

This firm began operations at Grayling, putting logs into the Manistee river and selling them to parties at Manistee. In 1882 the firm commenced to manufacture lumber of its own, and bought out a small sawmill, which was then superseded by a new mill with a capacity of 20,000,000 feet a year. In 1892 a band mill and planer was added. The firm owned at the officers' beautiful club house a large amount of pine, and hardwood which has been used and enjoyed to the fullest by the officers of the guard and others.

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helped to organize the Michigan Sugar Company, the first sugar company organized in Michigan, and also the Bay City Sugar Co., in both of which he was director, and was interested in the Crawford County Exchange Bank and other commercial and financial enterprises.

Mr. Hanson was a Republican, but disagreed with the party as to the treatment of the new possessions. He was an alternate to the Minneapolis convention in 1892 and a member of the Michigan Electoral College in 1896. He was elected the first county treasurer of Crawford county in 1880 and received the entire vote of his township. He was a member of the local school board for 15 years, was a 32nd degree Mason, and was a member of the National and State Lumbermen's Associations of the Michigan Club, the two Hocs, etc.

Mr. Hanson was married Sept. 17, 1867, to Miss Margrethe Hanson, and their five children are Matilda, wife of H. A. Bauman; Margrethe, wife of J. Sidney Graham; Thorwald W. Esbern and Oscar.

Mr. Hanson also re-organized the German American Sugar Company and served as President for two years. On account of his extensive lumbering business, he was unable to continue so he sold part of his stock but continued a director of the company. He also organized the Grayling Lumber Company, located at Monroe, Louisiana. He became managing director and treasurer and continued his work until the property was sold and the money was refunded to the stockholders. He also organized the L. Jensen Lumber Company, doing business at Ewen, Michigan, in the upper peninsula on the South Shore & Atlantic Railroad. He also became a stockholder in the Diamond Lumber Company doing business at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

He graduated from the R. Hanson & Sons Lumber Company, Sept. 16, 1908, and also organized the Hanson Land Company, Sept. 16, 1908. He was managing director and treasurer in both of these last concerns. His stock in the L. Jensen Lumber Company he sold in the spring of 1918. He was also stockholder in a great many other companies: The American Car & Foundry, the N. Y. C. & St. P. R. R., the Penna. R. R., United States Steel and several others.

He was one of the organizers of the Grayling Box Co., that is now successfully operating and also of the Grayling Development Co., that is busy drilling for oil.

A much appreciated gift to the Danes was the erection of beautiful Danes Hall, where a touch of their native land might be kept sweet in the memory. This charming place fulfilled many needs both to the Danes and to other citizens of Grayling as well. In presenting it to his countrymen Mr. Hanson stated that "they use it."

Funeral Thursday Afternoon The funeral is being held this afternoon. At 2 o'clock services are being held in the home and conducted by Rev. Peter Kjothek, pastor of the Danish Lutheran church. At 3:30 o'clock services will be held at the Michelson Memorial church and be conducted by Rev. J. W. Greenwood. Pastor Greenwood will be laid to rest in the family burial vault at Elmwood cemetery.

Grayling schools will close this afternoon and the business places between the hours of 1:30 and 4:30 o'clock as a fitting tribute to the honor in which Mr. Hanson was held at home.

The grandchildren of the family, Mrs. Ralph Roulter, Detroit; Mrs. J. W. Woodson, Saginaw; N. C. Junges, Houghton; St. John's Military academy, Wis.; and Misses Margrethe and Ella Hanson, Bennett school, New York City; Virginia Hanson at school in Chicago; are home to attend the funeral. Also Mrs. Rasmus Bay of Montana, sister of Mr. Hanson, has arrived and stockholders of the Salling, Hanson Co. and many friends will no doubt be here for the funeral.

It is with the deepest sincerity that we extend to Mr. Hanson and the family our sympathy in this their greatest hour of sorrow, and we are certain that such sentiment is in the hearts of their home friends.

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Jerry Reagan served in France in the World War as assistant band leader of the 119th field artillery of the 32nd division. For five years he was scoutmaster of Boy Scout troop No. 2 of Royal Oak, sponsored by Frank Wentland Post, No. 253 of the American Legion, Royal Oak. The troop has a drum and bugle corps that took first prize at the state convention of the American Legion at Bay City in 1925 and at Lansing in 1926.

Mr. Reagan carries a life membership in the Frank Wentland Post of the American Legion because his work in connection with Boy Scout activities in the Royal Oak council.

Mr. Reagan completed the training course of scout executive at Briar Cliff, New York, which ended September 21—Royal Oak (Mich.) Tribune.

Vanishing (Indian) Summer



C. T. KERRY OF FLOORING CO. DEAD

WEEK'S ILLNESS NOT THOUGHT SERIOUS, CULMINATES IN DEATH

Charles T. Kerry, president of the Kerry & Hanson Flooring Company of this city, prominent Saginaw lumberman and business man, died early Tuesday at his home, 632 Thompson street, after a week's illness. Though he had been ill, his condition was not thought alarming, and it was not until Monday afternoon that it was known to be serious.

For many years Mr. Kerry had been associated with the lumber business in Saginaw, Bay City, Reed City and Grayling, and was well known in Saginaw and elsewhere throughout the state to a wide circle of friends who were shocked to learn of his death. He was a director of the Bank of Saginaw and took an active part in business affairs there.

Born in Murray, N. Y., Mr. Kerry came to Michigan as a young man and started a lumber and mercantile business at Reed City, later coming to Saginaw and operating a flooring factory on the Holland avenue site where the United States Graphite Co. now is located.

This plant was destroyed by fire and Mr. Kerry then went to Bay City, where he established a flooring plant, operating it for three years. When fire again destroyed his plant, returning to Saginaw he purchased the old Annin W. Wright mill property on Bristol street and established the present firm of Kerry & Way, which developed into one of Saginaw's leading lumber firms. Later he was identified with the Kerry & Hanson flooring factory at Grayling which he was operating at the time of his death.

Mr. Kerry married Miss Nellie L. Cary of Albion, N. Y., and they made their home in Saginaw for about 20 years. He leaves his widow and three children, Dr. Frank Kerry, Benton Harbor; William Kerry, Jacksonville, Fla.; and George Kerry, Royal Oak.

He was a member of the Rotary club, of Elif Khurafah Shrine, the Saginaw club and Saginaw County club and was connected with many other social and industrial activities in the city besides position on the directorate of the Bank of Saginaw.

Strangely coincident the death of Kerry followed the death of George Kerry, president of the Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co. of this city, followed a few hours after that of Rasmus Hanson, vice president of that company.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry maintained a fine home at Lake Margrethe where they loved to spend their summer days. Mr. Kerry too was a devoted golf player and one of the most devoted members of the Grayling Golf club and was one of its heaviest backers.

Mrs. Kerry and Miss Thomas, who has been in the family many years as nurse and companion to Mrs. Kerry, and who was really one of that happy family, have the sympathy of their many Grayling friends. The funeral is being held this forenoon in Saginaw.

Among those from Grayling in attendance are Fred W. Welsh, manager of the Flooring factory, Emil Giegling and Miss Margaret Hemmingson of the office force, A. L. Roberts, foreman of the mill, and T. P. Peterson.

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EDW. S. HOUGHTON PASSED AWAY

COUNTY SURVEYOR SUCCEUMBS TO OPERATION

Grayling residents were astounded Monday night when the word was passed around that Edward S. Houghton had passed away. Mr. Houghton had been ailing for some time and two weeks ago began to be troubled more than usual and Monday submitted to an operation at Mercy hospital and the trouble proved to be cancer. He failed to rally from the operation, passing away at 5:30 o'clock that evening.

Edward S. Houghton was born on August 29, 1866, in Cass City, Mo. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Houghton. He received his education in the Cass City schools and in 1903 was united in marriage to Blanche Rosewater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rosewater of West Branch, Ia. Mr. Houghton came to the north in 1907 and became an employee as a dealer in the lumber mill of the Michelson & Hanson Lumber Co. at Lewiston. Later he acquired timber and land holdings near Lovells and was associated in business with Marius Hanson and T. E. Douglas at that place in the manufacture of shingles, posts and other wood commodities.

It was while he was serving as supervisor of Lovells township that he came to Grayling, having been appointed county treasurer to fill the vacancy made by John F. Hum, who resigned to accept the postmastership of Grayling postoffice, which was in 1914. Mr. Houghton served in this capacity for four years and during the time was elected county surveyor, which public office he held off and on for years. Surveying was his profession and we doubt whether there is another man in the County who knew more about the lands that lie within its borders. He also did much work in the making of maps and plats and was a skillful draftsman. He acted as road engineer when the first trunk line, M-18, was built through Grayling, choosing the place for some of the bridges.

Mr. Houghton took great deal of interest in the political affairs of the county, and was active in lodge circles, being a member of Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. and Portage Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Surviving the deceased are his widow and two sons, Esmond Lloyd and Nyland Inley, also a brother Charles Houghton of Everett, Wash. The sons are fine young men and a credit to their parents, the elder Esmond, having charge of his father's business at present in which he will continue.

The following have already arrived to be in attendance at the funeral: Mrs. Houghton's sister, Mrs. W. H. Hill of Ann Arbor and her brother, W. H. Rosewater, and his daughter, Mrs. Rosewater.

Grayling cousins of Mr. Houghton, Mrs. John Dodge and Stanley Warner of Cass City.

Mrs. Houghton and sons have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home conducted by the Masonic fraternity.

MASONS ATTENTION.

Meet at Lodge Room, Friday, Nov. 4 at 1:30 p. m., to attend funeral of late Brother Edward S. Houghton. Masonic service.

H. G. JARMIN, W. M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

Service at 9:30 a. m. Each Sunday American Legion Hall. Subject next Sunday, "Adam and the Fallen Man." Golden Text—Psalm 116: Sunday School 10:40 a. m. All are welcome.

DEVELOPMENT BUREAU TOURIST ASSOCIATION MEET, ELECT AND EAT

Enthusiasm was the predominant feature of the three gatherings at Bay City on October 27, which marked the annual business sessions of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau and the East Michigan Tourist Association and the joint Good Fellowship banquet of the two bodies. Agriculture, good roads, reforestation, preservation and development of recreational resources, expansion of these resources to include winter sports, and a score of other topics were discussed by authorities during the sessions.

On the banquet program were the following: Hon. William A. Comstock of Detroit, only life member of the Development Bureau; Marius Hanson of Grayling, Congressman Clarence E. McLeod and Robert J. Clancy, of Detroit; Arthur W. Stace, Ann Arbor; Herman Lundin, Gaylord; J. Emmet Richards, Alpena; Floyd A. Allen, Flint and Detroit; James C. McCabe, Detroit; H. A. Chamberlain, Standish; Harvey J. Campbell, executive vice-president Detroit Board of Commerce; W. A. Crandell, West Branch; Stanley J. Armstrong, Bay City; Herman N. Butler, East Tawas, and five feminine vaudeville artists from Detroit.

We congratulate Mr. Reagan on his fine appointment which no doubt he is most worthy of.

The open forum which followed the business sessions in the afternoon was addressed by Ernest N. Smith, Washington, D. C., general manager of the American Automobile Association; William H. Boehme, Greenbush; E. C. Madenburg, state department of agriculture and A. L. Burridge, Cadillac division highway engineer.

The development bureau meeting was called to order by Herman Lundin, Gaylord, president. Reports of the officers, the president, Marius Hanson, treasurer, and T. F. Marston, secretary-manager, were followed by a report of agricultural activities by L. L. Drake, agricultural agent for the district, and a talk by O. B. Price, agricultural agent of the Michigan Central Railroad. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Herman N. Butler, East Tawas; first vice-president, H. S. Karcher, Rose City; second vice-president, Marius Hanson, Grayling; treasurer, H. A. Chamberlain, Standish; secretary-treasurer, T. F. Marston, Bay City.

The East Michigan Tourist Association meeting was called to order by J. Emmet Richards, Alpena, first vice-president, in the absence of the president, Floyd A. Allen. Reports of the president and secretary-treasurer, T. F. Marston, were followed by the adoption of membership fee schedules for each county. Mr. Allen arrived by air from Detroit after the election of officers had taken place which included his re-election to the office of president.

The new officers are: President, Floyd A. Allen, Flint and Detroit; first vice-president, J. Emmet Richards, Alpena; second vice-president, Eugene Schust, Saginaw; third vice-president, Al Weber, Cheboygan; fourth vice-president, D. C. Pennington, Detroit; secretary-treasurer, T. F. Marston, Bay City. The executive committee includes the officers and the following: H. A. Bauman, Crawford county and Herman Butler, Isosco county.

At the dinner, when the roll call of counties came, outside of Bay County, Ogemaw county, carried off the honors with an attendance of 32. Rev. J. E. Eddinger, of East Tawas, always a prominent figure at the meetings of the two bodies, led the community singing in his own original and inimitable manner.

Among the guests at the dinner were Frank F. Rogers, state highway commissioner and H. E. Powell, state commissioner of agriculture.

The Development Bureau went on record in a resolution as opposing the further protection of black bear because of the havoc the bear are causing to which is the deadliest.

ANTI COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA TALK

SUBVERSIVE MOVEMENTS IN AMERICA

"Subversive Movements in America," a subject of vital interest to the American people today, will be treated in comprehensive and authoritative fashion in a lecture by Peter W. Collins, of Boston, Mass., Sunday evening, Nov. 23rd in High School auditorium. The lecture, which will during the session.

be free to the people, will be under the patronage of Grayling Council, Knights of Columbus, and American Legion Post 106, and will be part of those organizations' nation-wide educational campaign against the radical movement in this country.

Mr. Collins is eminently qualified by preparation, training and experience to present the true story of a persistent and insidious attempt to undermine American institutions and ideals. For more than twenty-five years he has been an active and outstanding exponent of American traditions of liberty and justice. In 1924, at the All-American Conference in which nearly one hundred American organizations participated, Mr. Collins was elected chairman of the Committee on Subversive Movements. The delegates at this convention represented many millions of men and women in such organizations as the Grand Army of the Republic, the American Legion, Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of the Confederacy and others of similar character.

Early in 1926, prior to the revolution in China, the Constitutional Defense League of Shanghai, an organization formed to combat Russian-directed communism in China, called on Mr. Collins, "as one who is supreme in America in knowledge of how to conduct an anti-Communist propaganda," to give advice on how they might best meet this international scourge. His activity in exposing these subversive movements has taken him into every corner of the United States. He has addressed thousands of audiences and has answered countless questions proposed by opponents during the "open forum" which it is a policy to hold at the close of his lectures. The periods, during which any member of the audience is urged to submit such questions or objections as he may choose, invariably result in some lively and informative exchanges. His lecture in the High School will be free to the public. There will be no reserved seats, no admission charge, no collection, no solicitation of any sort.

This lecture is intended for High School pupils as well as older people, and is being given in response to a request made by the Grayling School Board.

The Forum meeting, participated in by members of both organizations, endorsed American Forestry week and immediate development of winter sports programs.

The meetings and the joint dinner were generally spoken of as the most successful in attendance and results in recent years.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends for their expression of sympathy at the time of the death of our mother and grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrington and Family.

Some fellows carry a gun in their hip pocket and other carry a pint of synthetic gin, and it's a toss-up as to which is the deadliest.

Dandy Gifts



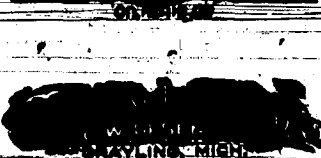
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Supervisors' Proceedings

GENERAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR CRAWFORD COUNTY, MICHIGAN, October 1927.

At a general session of the Board of Supervisors for Crawford County, Michigan, commenced and held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling on Monday the Tenth day of October, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

Roll called. Present, Chairman James E. Kellogg, Floyd A. Goshorn, George R. Annis, Anthony J. Nelson, Rufus Edmonds and Oliver B. Scott. General discussion of communications and County Road Work.

Moved by Edmonds supported by Goshorn that the Board adjourn until nine o'clock Tuesday morning. Yea and Nay vote called all members voting Yea. The motion prevailed.

October 11, 1927. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called all members present. Moved by Scott supported by Annis that the Prosecuting Attorney be allowed an assistant during this term of Circuit Court. The fees of such assistant not to exceed Fifty Dollars and the Clerk be and is herewith authorized to draw voucher in payment of same.

All members voting Yea. The motion prevailed. Afternoon Session. Moved by Scott supported by Edmonds that in order to complete the Bovine Tuberculosis eradication in Crawford County and a rest of all herds is necessary in 1928. We do hereby appropriate One Thousand dollars the approximate amount necessary to carry on this work and the Clerk and Treasurer are hereby authorized to issue warrants in payment for the above said expense, but not to exceed One Thousand dollars.

All members voting Yea. Motion carried. Moved by Annis supported by Scott that the Board of County Road Commissioners be and are herewith authorized to complete the one mile, approximately, of uncompleted County Road known as County Road Number One West of Lovells.

Yea and Nay vote called. All members voting Yea motion carried. Moved by Goshorn supported by Edmonds that in order to certain conditions existing that need investigation in the County Road affairs that the matter be left to the Committee on Roads and Bridges for investigation and report.

All members voting Yea. Motion carried. Moved by Annis supported by Scott that the Board adjourn until Monday morning at nine o'clock. Board adjourned.

October 17, 1927. Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Crawford County continued and held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling on Monday the seventeenth day of October, A. D., 1927.

Board called to order. All members present. At this time a representative of the Children's Hospital appeared before the Board.

Board adjourned until one o'clock in the afternoon. Afternoon Session. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

All members present. Committee members of the local Red Cross Chapter appeared before the Board at this time.

Moved by Annis supported by Nelson that Miss Mary Vance be elected a member of the Board of School Examiners for the full term of two years.

All members voting Yea the motion prevailed. At this time Mr. Emil Kraus, Sec. of the Superintendents of the Poor appeared before the Board with the annual report.

Moved by Scott supported by Edmonds that the report of the Committee on County Poor be accepted and adopted and made part of the record of the Board.

All members voting Yea the motion prevailed. Moved by Edmonds supported by Scott that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

October 18, 1927. Board met pursuant to adjournment. All members present.

The forenoon was occupied in a general review of County Road Bills. Afternoon Session.

Moved by Scott supported by Nelson that the report of the County Road Commission be set aside to later date.

All members voting Yea the motion prevailed. It was duly moved and supported that the matter of the Township Clerk's Report of Money to be raised by tax be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

October 1927. On hand September 30, 1926. \$1942.19. Appropriated by Supervisors June 6, 1927. \$600.00. Disbursements for the year. \$1342.37. On hand September 30, 1927. \$600.00.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Michigan, Gentlemen:

Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the matter of the Township Clerk's Reports of money to be raised by taxation in the several townships of the County for township, road repair, improvement, school and other purposes for the year 1927, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have examined and find that they are regular and complete and do hereby recommend that the several Supervisors of the various Townships be and are herewith authorized and directed to spread the amounts therein scheduled upon the tax roll of each of their respective townships for the year 1927 as reported.

Committee on Ways and Means, Chairman, GEORGE ANNIS, RUFUS EDMONDS, O. B. SCOTT.

Beaver Creek. Township Tax, 1/4 of one per cent. Road Repair Tax, 1/4 of one per cent. Highway Improvement Tax, 1/4 of one per cent.

School District No. 1—1 1/2% of the assessed valuation. School District No. 3—\$350.00. School District No. 4—1/4 of one per cent.

Frederic. Township Tax, \$2500.00. Road Repair Tax. Highway Improvement Tax, 1/4 of one per cent.

Lighting Fund, \$600.00. School District No. 1—\$12,000.00. Yearly Report of the Superintendents of the Poor.

Grayling, Michigan, Oct. 1, 1927. Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Gentlemen:

Your appropriation to our board for the year of 1927 was for \$6,000.00. We find that this amount was sufficient to carry us through and at this time we are asking that you appropriate the same amount for the year 1928. At this time we will be pleased to receive from you any suggestions that you may have to render us will be gratefully received and considered.

Respectfully submitted, EMIL KRAUS, Secretary, GEO. W. McCULLOUGH, ALBERT LEWIS, Chairman.

Expenditures. Mrs. Olive Sturtevant, Frederic, 1926.

1926. Groceries for Sept. 12.80. Dry Goods 15.20. Dr. acct. 5.00. Clothing 7.25.

1927. Groceries for Oct. 30.44. Coal 35.00. Groceries for Nov. 35.00. Dr. acct. 7.50. Groceries for Dec. 35.00.

1927. Groceries for Jan. 35.00. Coal 21.99. Groceries for Feb. 29.60. Clothing 5.40. Groceries for March 35.00. Groceries for April 34.22.

1927. Clothing 7.25. Groceries for May 34.55. Clothing 4.45. Groceries for June 39.35. Clothing 2.05. Groceries for July 35.00. Groceries for August 35.00.

1927. Edd Edwards, Frederic. Groceries 4.10. Groceries 6.90. Groceries 6.00. Wood 2.00. Groceries 5.00. Wood 3.00. Groceries 8.00. Groceries 12.19. Groceries 19.18. Groceries 11.52. Clothing 96c; Drugs 35c 1.30.

1927. Mrs. James Parrott, Frederic. Groceries 78.29. Railroad ticket to Port Huron 10.84.

1927. Lawrence Faux, Frederic. Groceries 4.10. Groceries 6.90. Groceries 6.00. Wood 2.00. Groceries 5.00. Wood 3.00. Groceries 8.00. Groceries 12.19. Groceries 19.18. Groceries 11.52. Clothing 96c; Drugs 35c 1.30.

1927. Solomon Weinekeine. Transportation of an afflicted person 37.50. Groceries 37.50.

1927. George Russell. Surgical operation 50.00. Hospital care 50.00. Surgical operation 50.00.

1926. Refunds. Oct. 13 Rebate from Arthur Parker 11.31. Nov. 6 Probate Court for Children 22.50. Nov. 20 Sale of Richard O. Connell House 225.00. Dec. 18 Probate Court for Children 22.50.

1927. Feb. 26 C. Sherman for Lillian Lovely's child 160.00. Feb. 24 Probate Court for Children 55.00. Mar. 31 Probate Court for Children 45.00. Apr. 28 C. Sherman for Lillian Lovely's child 10.00. Apr. 30 Probate Court for Children 22.50. May 24 From Ben Joslyn 5.00. June 2 Probate Court for Children 22.50. June 6 From Ben Joslyn 10.00. July 5 Probate Court for Children 22.50. July 20 From Alcona Co. for David Short 19.08. Aug. 1 Probate Court for Children 22.50. Aug. 8 From Antrim Co. for Anna Pabo 111.50. Sept. 9 From Antrim Co. for Anna Pabo 5.00. Probate Court for Children 22.50. Sale of Boller for Geo. Patton 1.50. Sept. 13 From Wayne Co. for Mrs. Wm. and Roy Johnson and children 25.16. Sept. 24 From Alcona Co. for David Short 49.36. Sale of Cook Store for Geo. Patton 5.00. Sept. 30 Sale of wash tubs for Geo. Patton 1.00.

On hand September 30, 1926. \$1942.19. Appropriated by Supervisors June 6, 1927. \$600.00. Disbursements for the year. \$1342.37. On hand September 30, 1927. \$600.00.

Albert Lewis, Chairman, GEO. W. McCULLOUGH, EMIL KRAUS, Secretary.

Hospital care

1927. Norman Slingerland. Hospital care of child 18.00.

1926. Joseph Weekstra. Groceries for Nov. and Dec. 15.00.

1927. Groceries for January 6.88. Groceries for Feb. and Mar. 15.11. Groceries for Apr. and May 10.51. Groceries for June and July 17.26. Groceries for August 8.22. Groceries for September 72.92.

1926. Mr. and Mrs. George Patton. Groceries for September 11.77. One loaf wood 4.50. Groceries for October 12.08. One loaf wood 5.00. Groceries for November 12.17. One loaf wood 4.50. Clothing 6.70. One loaf wood 4.50. Groceries for December 10.39.

1927. Groceries for January 13.28. One loaf wood 5.00. Clothing 3.00. Groceries for February 8.09. One loaf wood 5.00. Groceries for March 2.14. Groceries for April 4.50. Laundry 1.00. Groceries for May 6.59. One loaf wood 5.00. Groceries for June 6.89. Groceries for July 7.84. Dr. acct. 2.00.

1927. Mrs. Glen Wilcox. Groceries for January 5.08. One loaf wood 5.00. Groceries for February 12.08. One loaf wood 5.25. One loaf wood 4.50. Dr. acct. for child 2.00.

1927. Mrs. Frank Alexander. Allowance for October 10.00. Allowance for November 10.00. Allowance for December 10.00.

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1926. Lillian Lovely. Allowance for Oct. for child 10.00. Allowance for Nov. for child 10.00. Allowance for Dec. for child 10.00.

1927. Allowance for Jan. for child 10.00. Groceries 40.00. Clothing 3.40.

1926. Adolph Bergelin. Groceries for Jan. 35.00. Coal 21.99. Groceries for Feb. 29.60. Clothing 5.40. Groceries for March 35.00. Groceries for April 34.22. Clothing 7.25. Groceries for May 34.55. Clothing 4.45. Groceries for June 39.35. Clothing 2.05. Groceries for July 35.00. Groceries for August 35.00.

1927. James D. Wood, Frederic. Groceries 492.18. Groceries 2.43. Bert Hiar. Groceries 4.26. Railroad fare to Grand Ledge 6.61. Wood 2.00. Groceries 5.00. Wood 3.00. Groceries 8.00. Groceries 12.19. Groceries 19.18. Groceries 11.52. Clothing 96c; Drugs 35c 1.30.

1927. Mrs. Clara Johnson. Dr. acct. 5.00. Confinement 35.00. Dr. acct. 2.00. Mrs. Frank Millikin. Groceries 4.19.

1927. David Short, Frederic. Groceries for April 5.35. Groceries for May 13.18. Groceries for June 14.89. Groceries for July 14.89. Groceries for August 16.72. Clothing for August 1.28.

1927. Anna Pabo, Frederic. Visit by Dr. 15.00. Clothing 4.00. Dr. acct. confinement 35.00. Services by Mr. Greenwood 2.00.

1927. Ben Lee, Frederic. Groceries 2.38. Mr. and Mrs. Newall James. Dr. acct. for Mr. James 3.00. Groceries 3.00. Groceries 3.29. Groceries 1.79.

1927. Groceries 32.60. Furnished by the Supt.'s of the Poor for Wayne Co. for Harry Green and family, Detroit. 1926 and 1927. Groceries for Oct., Nov., Dec. 90.00. Coal for Dec. and Jan. 16.50. 3 Pns. Shoes 7.50. Groceries for Feb., Mar., Apr. 23.00. Coal for Feb. and March 15.00.

1927. Groceries 32.60. Furnished by the Supt.'s of the Poor for Ingham Co. for Mrs. Oscar Smith, Lansing. 1927. City Village 607.83. Redemption Fund 135.30. May 4 20.00. June 1 20.00.

1927. Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon. Groceries 2.38.

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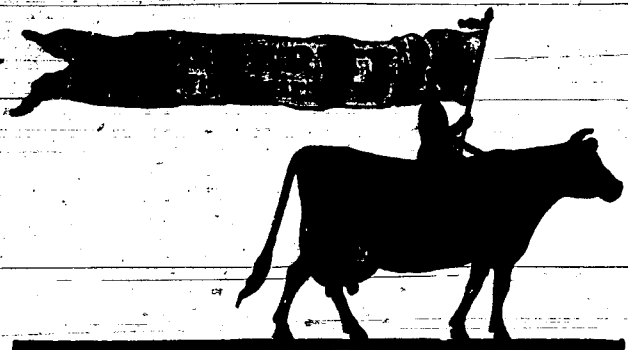
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Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



WHAT IS A BOY?

"He is the person who is going to carry on what you have started. He is to sit right where you are sitting and when you are gone, attend to those things which you think are so important."

You may adopt all the policies you please, but how they will be carried out depends on him. Even if you make leagues and treaties, he will have to manage them. He is going to sit at your desk in the Senate and occupy your place on the Supreme Bench.

He will assume control of your cities, states and nation. He is going to move in and take over your prisons, churches, schools, universities and corporations.

All your work is going to be judged, praised and condemned by him.

Your reputation and future are in his hands.

All your work is for him, and the fate of the nation and humanity is in his hands.

So it might be well to pay him some attention.

—Meadville, Pa., Kiwanis Club.

Our Share of Responsibility

The writer of these notes, as an agricultural advisor, has other duties connected with farm life besides advising what to do to make alfalfa grow. There are some other things relative to rural life besides things that can be touched with the hands. There is good citizenship, neighborliness, sociability of the neighborhood, looks of the home and farmstead, the neighborhood schools.

Whatever I may or may not write about, the others, I wish to voice some truths about the farm school, or rural school, in which each farm family has such a large ownership, and should have a large interest.

Visit the School

I wonder how many parents visit the local rural school even as often as once a year. Not many. There are too many who are too much like those who drive an auto from the back seat. The inspections that farm folks make of their school is generally left to a once-a-year visit by the women. Men seldom go, excepting to say, "If you can't stop fighting among pupils on the road home after school, I guess we will get some one who can." There is very little constructive, helpful visiting in a friendly spirit. Visits by men or women are so infrequent that the teacher is nervous, frightened and does far from her best when the visitor does arrive. When visitors arrive at such long intervals the children seldom act natural.

Local Talent and Help

In every district there is much talent among parents that could be of great help to the school. This should always be utilized to the fullest every year. It is not enough that every farmer visit once in his lifetime something that he knows especially well. There are cases in which the same man or woman might talk each year to the children.

For instance, suppose that in a

district some man were a specialist on good milking cows. If I were the teacher there I would induce that man to bring to the schoolyard, some bright afternoon, every fall, two or three as nearly ideal cows as he had; and, with the pupils gathered around the farmer and his cows in the schoolyard, listen to a talk, just off-hand talk, by the farmer, on the points of a good dairy cow, as he passes his hand over this part and that part of the animal.

Though but little schooled, this farmer, by his years of hard practical experience, his love for fine animals, would in all likelihood, be able to tell the children in language that they could well understand, many things of great value about selecting good animals by their appearance, and how best to feed them afterwards for best results.

Once a year would be none too often to have this done, for these might be some new pupils, and those who had heard the story before would have early impressions strengthened, to the end that when they select stock for themselves, or help father select it, they would have quite a safe ideal set up in mind to help in the selection.

There might be a successful grower of hogs, sheep or finisher of fat cattle in the neighborhood. In my plan of school life, it would be perfectly proper for the teacher to lead the school over there to receive a lesson in management of one of those forms of stock.

There may be some one in the district who has been a sailor. He should be lured to the school to tell of foreign countries visited. This would be particularly effective if the geography class is studying one or more of those countries.

Some worthy man or woman in the district may have been born in another country. Use of fact will, in many instances, enable the teacher to induce such person to sit in a chair, perhaps not in the most conspicuous place in the room, and tell of scenes, customs and experiences there, to the great delight and information of teacher and pupils.

Early settlers in the district, township or county should be discovered, brought to school and their treasure of reminiscence used for the information and delight of the school.

Things said and done in these talks and demonstrations above mentioned should be used next day for oral and written re-production work in the language classes of several grades.

Pupils should be encouraged to ask and guided in asking, intelligent questions of the visitor, at the proper time and in a tactful and courteous way.

Others

I would ten times rather have my pupils take hair on an ear gathering every farmer out once in his lifetime something that he knows especially well. There are cases in which the same man or woman might talk each year to the children.

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activities for top many school rooms.

Which do you suppose these visitors of your school will become, friends or enemies?

They will become your friends, and the school's friend, and will silently or vocally refer to the school as "our school," particularly if not embarrassed by tittering pupils. If there will be no tittering pupils, if the teacher knows her business, if it is good for the pupils manners to have visitors. Principles of Agriculture Should Be Taught Daily.

One of the most astounding things that an observant person notices in our rural schools is the fact that, though these pupils come from farm homes, to schools supported in part by these farmers, there is no teaching about farm life. Nothing said or done to lead to appreciation of, or improvement of, farm-life. Nothing said or done that leads to more skill in meeting problems there. No lesson in agriculture. No books on agriculture. No agriculture bulletins or farm papers on what should be the "teaching table." That great, noble subject that could easily be made the most interesting one in each day's work, because it is so at hand, so real, so alive, so possible of illustration with things within the pupils' life and experience that great subject is flatly ignored.

Teachers need not say that the subject is not useful. Everybody knows better. Teachers need not say that there is not enough about agriculture to teach each day. A new fact, process, method of principle of agriculture, can be found for each school day of the school year. Teachers need not say that it would not be interesting to pupils so young. It has been shown with actual children that, taught right, it can be made the most interesting topic of the day's work to children including Third grade and up, and much of it enjoyed and understood by even lower grades.

Farmers need not say: "What does that town girl teacher know about farming?" If she prepares she can know as much about it as she does about physiology that she presumes to teach and is allowed to teach—just learned it.

Teachers need not say: "I can't teach agriculture. I never lived on a farm."

They do not hesitate to teach the geography of the countries that they never saw, and may never see; but, which they teach about because they gave diligent study to learning something about them. Let them do the same thing about the fundamental principles of agriculture.

Neither teachers, parents nor school officers can side-step the issue by saying, "There is not time for any more subjects." Teachers in earnest on this subject have found time in school containing all the eight grades, by teaching the other subjects better, condensing, cutting out glib talk, driving more swiftly and surely to the point, thus saving valuable time and making the impressions on the minds of the pupils more intense and so more lasting.

Is this sense or is it not?

From Hoard's Dairyman of Sept. 25, 1927, we clip the following: "A standard work on rural schools, now in its second edition, contains a statement to the effect that nearly all country children will remain on the farm except the few of them that nature has designed for higher spheres of usefulness in the city. These exceptional children should be taken care of by their parents."

Should not be allowed to dominate the course of study. But how many of these exceptional children are there? Are they in a majority? Probably so, in some rural communities, if the question was left to the parents. The error of the professor who wrote that excellent treatise on rural schools is very common, that the doctor or the minister or the farmer fills a sphere of higher influence than the farmer. I submit that the pictures of the successful farmers and their families that occasionally appear in Hoard's Dairyman in connection with the description of successful farms, show a rugged determination and strength of character unsurpassed by other classes.

The station they have reached has demanded of them the very highest mental, moral and physical qualifications. Looking again at that picture of the Michigan farm boy in Hoard's Dairyman, I would say that the school he went to had had something to do with his pride in rural life. It may be possible to find children with a city education on successful farms, but not likely.

"A system of education that trains boys and girls away from industry and work and makes them parasites as far as economic production is concerned is an intolerable evil. If you want to know where to find the future presidents of the United States, if history is to repeat itself, you will not find them yonder in some great university, nor lounging in the Peacock Alley of some great hotel, but you will find them out in the great Mississippi Valley doing chores on the farm, doing the common things that the rest of their ability doing them in the way as to develop the confidence of those about them in the integrity of their character. If that is what it takes to be a 'hick,' then the more 'hicks' we turn out of our schools, the better we will be."

Who said that? Some old grouchy farmer? Not at all. John J. Tigert, National Commissioner of Education, said that and enough more like it to fill a column at a recent state teachers' convention. There are only two excuses imaginable for a man to talk that way. One is that he believes in what he says, and the other is that he thought such a talk might do the teachers some good.

We feel so deeply in earnest over this matter of improvement of agriculture through the early training of farm children in the intricacies and the details of real farming, that we propose to appeal further to you in an article to appear here on "New Schools for Old."

"Friendly" Flower Names

A scientific man who indulges in an amateur way his taste for gardening says that he likes to know the scientific names of flowers, or, course, but that in gardening the names he cares most for are the common names. These, he says, are like the nicknames and pet diminutives one keeps for intimate friends—not formal, not businesslike nor dignified, but just friendly.

SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

(Continued from Opposite Page)

Clerk of this County forthwith, as one man cannot hold both offices according to law.

Very truly,
F. A. GOSHORN,
RUFUS EDMONDS.

It was duly moved and supported that the several bills of the Supervisors for attendance at this session be allowed as claimed and the Clerk be allowed herewith authorized to issue warrants in payment of same. The motion prevailed.

Bills of Supervisors as allowed:
Anthony J. Nelson \$ 45.00
George Annis 48.46
J. E. Kellogg 47.19
F. A. Goshorn 51.08
Rufus Edmonds 51.68
O. B. Scott 32.62

Minutes were read and approved. Moved by Scott supported by Edmonds that the Board adjourn until Monday, January second, 1928. The motion prevailed.

CHARLES GIERKE, Clerk.
E. G. KELLOGG, Chairman.

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Orlando F. Barnes, Place of business, Porter Apartments, Lansing, Michigan.

To Ellis C. Talmadge, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,) ss.

I do hereby certify and return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 30th day of July, 1927, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Ellis C. Talmadge, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the heirs of said grantee or of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such grantee, upon the foregoing described land.

J. E. BOENMOYER,
Sheriff of said County.

Dated October 12, 1927. 11-3-4

My fees, \$1.05.

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1927

R. Peterson made a business trip to Bay City on Thursday.

George Schroeder is working in the office of the Michigan Public Service Company at Gaylord.

Mr. Swanson of Cheboygan was a business caller on Friday.

Joe Cassidy returned from Grand Rapids yesterday where he has been for the past few days, having submitted to an operation for sinus trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jarmin made a business trip to Bay City Tuesday.

We sell the Goodyear Gold Seal Hunting Shoes. Every pair guaranteed at Olson's.

Willard Weaver is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. A. Atkinson, for a few days.

Boys and Girls Wool Gloves and Mitts. A fine new line at the Economy Store. Cooley & Cooley.

Take your Prescriptions to Central Drug Store.

Miss Neva Stinchcomb was called away from her duties as teacher in the local High School to attend the funeral of her grandfather at Alma.

Pointex heel hose, pure silk, 50c, at the Economy Store.

Grayling High School football team will go to Gaylord tomorrow for their last game of the season.

The first debate of the series to be indulged in by the Grayling High School debating team will be held here on November 18, with Kingsley.

Beautiful Sheer Chiffon Hose, pointex heel and toes, all the new shades at Redson & Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Carvin, Miss Betty and Mark Murray of Bay City and Miss Virginia Murray of New York enjoyed a few days the last of the week at Murray Lodge on the AuSable.

Ladies Coats. Yes, we have some very good bargains on our racks. Call and see us. Redson & Cooley.

James Reynolds, Jr., and nephew, Howard Smock motored to Twinning Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reid and family.

Pointex Pure Silk Hose at \$1.00 at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grover of St. Helena were calling on Grayling friends Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher and granddaughter Audrey Hewitt are visiting their daughter Mrs. Charles Hewitt and family in Detroit. They expect to visit the Landsberg family at Inkster before returning home.

If your feet are hard to fit, go to Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gothro are moving into the Clark house on Cedar street. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nelson and family will occupy the Jergenson house on Maple street.

Augustus Funck of South Branch township has bought the P. P. Mayberry property on Michigan avenue and moved into same this week. Mr. Funck has been a successful farmer of South Branch township for years, but is moving to Grayling to give his children better school advantages. The family are welcome to our community.

Take home a Brick or Quart of Ice Cream. Central Drug Store.

Last Sunday a number of the local Knights of Columbus drove over to Traverse City to attend the ceremonies when 48 candidates were initiated into the order. The candidates from Grayling were Edlore LaBrach, Teddy Callahan, Joseph Bielski and Louis Konvicka and those of the local Council, who accompanied them were: F. L. Calligan, William Herie, Walter Nadeau, Arnold Burrows, Louis Kessler. It was a fine large meeting with Mainstee, Petoskey, Alpena and Grayling represented. The Alpena degree team put on the initiation work.

A large crowd enjoyed the first number on the Redpath Lyceum course, that took place Wednesday evening of last week at the Michelson Memorial church. Jay Tobias more than lived up to his reputation of being a very funny man and kept his audience grinning and laughing all evening. This number was so enjoyable that no doubt the remaining four numbers will be looked forward to with a great deal of enthusiasm. The Epworth League are to be commended on their efforts in bringing such high class entertainment as this to Grayling.

Best Silk Hose on the market at \$1.00. Redson & Cooley.

Mancelona High School football team trimmed Grayling High by a score of 16 to 6 on the local gridiron Friday afternoon. It was a good game to watch and was enjoyed by many.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown, Misses Anna Peterson and Ingeborg Hanson, spent Sunday in Johannesburg.

Attention! Listen! When you need Shoes, don't forget the little Economy Store, next to the Opera House, has all styles and all prices, for ladies, children and men. Cooley & Cooley.

Mrs. Andrew Brown entertained her Sunday School class with a Halloween party in the Sunday School rooms of the Michelson Memorial church Saturday evening. The Halloween color scheme was carried out throughout the rooms where games were enjoyed by the young folks. A delicious lunch was served.

Don't forget the Feather parties that are being given by the American Legion Post at their hall. The parties are being held every Wednesday and Saturday night until Thanksgiving. Given for benefit of Post.

Paul Lehne motored to points in the upper peninsula over the week end. He was accompanied by the Misses Alice Lundvall, Norma Burdette and Margaret Tyvis, who visited their parents at McMillan and Manistique. Mrs. Ollie MacLeod accompanied Miss Tyvis to her home at McMillan.

The lady teachers of our public schools were entertained at a delightful bridge party by Miss Eleanor Schumann on Friday evening. The high score was held by Mrs. Garth Sayers of Durand, who was an out of town guest.

Order your engraved Christmas Cards now! You will get better work and be sure to have them in time. Central Drug Store.

Miss Ruth Chamberlain was hostess at a Halloween party at her home on Monday evening. Many mirthful stunts added to the pleasure of the evening. Prize winners were Miss Hood, Elizabeth Mattson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Reagan were hosts at the first of a series of bridge dinners given annually by the Bridge Club. The dinner was given at the home of the Masons, Thursday evening and was a very delightful affair, the rooms being very prettily decorated with chrysanthemums. The high scores for bridge were held by Mrs. C. R. Keyport and Robt. Gillett.

The members of the Ladies Aid Society of Michelson Memorial church enjoyed a very high school at the church Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent sewing for the fair and much was accomplished.



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Take your Prescriptions to Central Drug Store.

Mrs. George Olson spent Monday visiting her parents in Gaylord.

Mrs. Wilhelm Rae of Johannesburg is visiting her father Lars Nelson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and family motored to Johannesburg Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson and family.

Every pair of our Shoes are guaranteed to satisfy. Olson's Shoe Store.

Mrs. Emil Niederer, Mrs. John Mathieson and her father-in-law, John Mathieson, Sr., and Mrs. Mary Walters motored to Mackinaw City last Thursday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ewart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Letzkus and daughter Margaret of Bay City, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and family.

Try our Hot Chocolate with wafers and whipped cream. You will like it. Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau and niece Miss Jean Thorn, motored to Alpena Sunday and spent the day.

Mrs. Peter McNeven submitted to an operation at Mercy Hospital Monday. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hull and son Rolly, of Saginaw, visited the latter's son Jack Hull, on Monday.

Redson & Cooley Everknit Hosiery. No better made. Full line of colors and sizes. Price \$1.00 and up.

Hans Peterson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. William Pobur and family in Detroit, for a few days.

Silk Bloomers, well known "Goldette Brand," priced from \$1.35 to \$4.75 at the Gift Shop. Redson & Cooley.

Miss Lillian Jordan returned from Bay City Tuesday where she has been visiting for a few days.

Mrs. William Green and son Billy left Sunday for Detroit to join the remainder of the family where they will take up their residence.

See the Men's New Work Shoes at Olson's before buying.

Rasmus Jorgenson returned home from Detroit Friday where he has been receiving a series of treatments for his eyes from Dr. Don M. Howell.

Alfred Hermann of Lansing, visited here over the week end.

Misses Eleanor Schumann, Norma Burdette, Grace Hood, Louise Clark and Kathryn Lee, motored to Saginaw Tuesday afternoon and enjoyed the musical comedy, "The Vagabond King." The play was very much enjoyed by the young ladies.

Children's 4-piece Brushed Wool Sets, ages 2 to 12 years at the Gift Shop. Redson & Cooley.

Mrs. Edward King of Flint is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and family.

Mrs. E. A. Mason and Mrs. Sigwald Hanson will entertain the Mercy Hospital Aid society at the home of the former next Thursday afternoon, 10th.

Hunters—We have everything you need to keep your feet and hands warm and dry at Olson's Shoe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Bradley of Royal Oak are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Bradley was formerly Ethel Tromble. Mrs. Tromble is with her daughter in Royal Oak at this time.

Bandmaster E. G. Clark and wife of Gaylord, visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. G. Olson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merry accompanied them and visiting the Charles Johnson family.

Children's Hosiery that will wear at the Economy Store. Cooley & Cooley.

The new telephone directories are out and subscribers are asked to kindly call at the Grayling Telephone office and get their copy.

New Victor Records every Friday at Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorane Sparkes enjoyed having as their guests over Saturday night, Dr. and Mrs. C. J. McMillan, his daughter Margarette Kay of Bay City.

About every window of most everybody's automobile was smeared with soap after Monday night with young folks playing Halloween pranks. Some mothers will be short of laundry soap when they go to do the family washing.

Mrs. R. H. Gillett returned to Bay City Monday to resume her place on the grand jury in Federal court. Mrs. Effert Mattson, who had been spending the week end at her home also returned to Bay City on Monday.

Sigwald Hanson and family are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Hanson's mother, Mrs. Struble of Shipshewer.

The last day of October, N. M. James of Beaver Creek brought some wild strawberry blossoms to our office. Last week we mentioned that huckleberry blossoms had been seen in the woods.

Children's Coats at the Economy Store. Fur collars and cuffs, priced to save your dollars. Cooley & Cooley.

Miss Margrethe Jensen was called to her home in Shelbyville, Illinois, on Friday by the serious illness of her mother. However word received from her says that her mother is much improved.

Mrs. H. C. McKinley spent several days in Gaylord visiting her son Ray and family, returning home Friday afternoon.

Buy Pure Silk Pointex Hose for \$1.00 at Olson's.

The Senior Class gave a delightful Halloween party at the High school gymnasium Saturday evening, the affair marking the first of the social affairs of the school year. The gym was radiant in the Halloween colors, a canopy being formed overhead of crepe paper with Jack O'lanterns strung about. Dancing was the order of entertainment, the McNeven orchestra being surrounded with improvised wall of corn stalks with pumpkins peeking through them. The music was real good and quite a good sized crowd enjoyed the party. During the evening very nice refreshments were served.

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Mrs. W. H. Ketchick of Detroit is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl Doroh.

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The Winter Sports Association will give a dancing party on Armistice night, Nov. 11, for the benefit of winter sports in Grayling. On this occasion a ten-foot toboggan will be given away to the party holding the lucky number on admission ticket. Bill for dance \$1.00. The party will be held at the Temple theater with music by Ketchick's orchestra.

Remember the date and attend the dancing party to be given for the benefit of winter sports in Grayling, Friday, Nov. 11.

Our Malted Milk is still going strong. Try one and be convinced. Central Drug Store.

There will be a regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary at the Legion hall, Tuesday evening, November 8.

Wonderful line of Girls Dresses, 6 to 14 years at the Economy Store. New goods every week.

Mrs. Homer Stilwell gave a pretty Halloween party Monday afternoon in honor of her son Edward. The lunch table was decorated in Halloween colors, each of the eleven little guests finding a witch at their places at the table. All had a good time.

Smooth heavy silk Hose that the older ladies like, can be found at the Gift Shop. Redson & Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yoder entertained a company of friends Monday night at a rabbit and chicken supper. There were twenty-four present and after supper cards were enjoyed. Mrs. Edwin S. Chalker and George Collen won first prize and Mrs. James Bugby and Frank Lavack, second prizes. All present enjoyed the evening very much.

Miss Vella Hermann entertained her Sunday school class at a Halloween party in the Sunday School rooms of Michelson Memorial church last Thursday evening. Each one had the privilege of inviting a friend, and they all met at the church where a real surprise was awaiting them. A treasure hunt had been arranged for the young folks, and three groups were formed, with captains at the head of each, and they were told that slips of paper bearing directions where to go next, had been placed at different homes around town. They were to collect all these papers and bring them back to the church, and parties arriving first were to receive a prize. The group with Paul Hendrickson as Captain won the honors. Other games were enjoyed during the remainder of the evening after which a delicious lunch was served.

Boys Suits at reduced prices at the Economy Store.

A beautiful line of Gloves for ladies, misses and children, at the Gift Shop. Redson & Cooley.

An enjoyable Halloween party was given by Mrs. Herbert Steppan at her home Friday evening in honor of Margaret Larson. The house was prettily decorated in the Halloween colors. There were 42 present and they enjoyed contests for which prizes were given, cards and dancing. At midnight a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The next regular meeting of Crawford County Grange will be held Nov. 10th. The delegates to the state convention, Mr. and Mrs. Seeley Wakeley, will be there to give a report of the state meeting. As many as possible should attend this meeting. There will be a dinner at the Legion hall that day.

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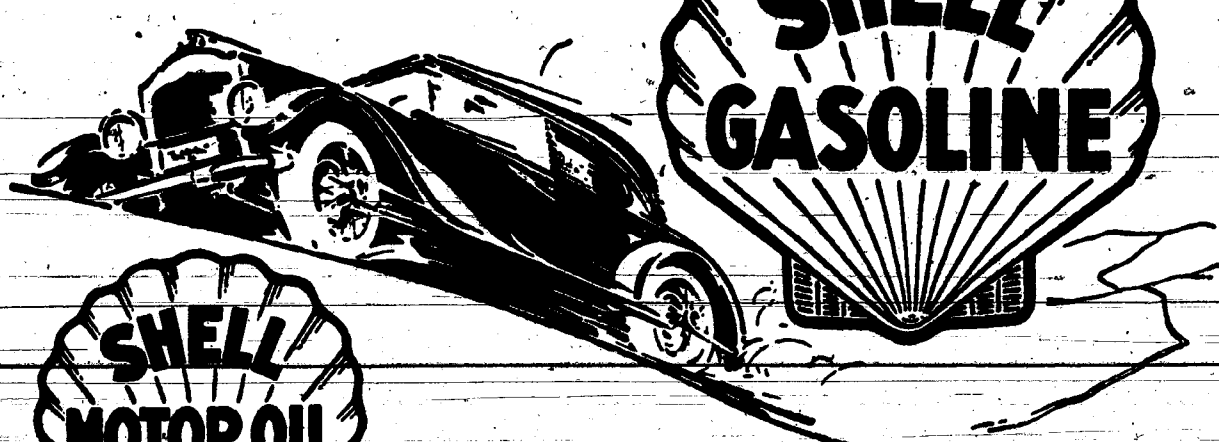
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Frederic School Notes

Editor—Mary Bender.
Assistant Editor—Doris Corsaut.

Four things a man must learn to do if he would make his record true: To think without confusion clearly; To love his fellowmen sincerely; To trust in God and Heaven securely.

The Halloween party given by the teachers last Saturday evening in the school dining room was voted a decided success by all who attended. The room was attractively decorated in keeping with Halloween. Games, contests and ghost stories were features of the evening's entertainment. A delicious lunch was served.

The Chippewa Sewing Club held their monthly business meeting Tuesday after school. Doris Corsaut was appointed song leader and Ethel Wixson, game leader. After the business session and games were enjoyed by all.

Don't Forget

The date of the Seniors' Bake Sale, November fourth and fifth are the days. Baked goods, made by expert cooks will be on sale. Hot coffee and chocolate, with doughnuts, will be served.

The Germination Box is proving to be very interesting. The beans have reached a height of ten inches in the corn nine and a half, and the peas five and a half.

The girls in the "Gym" class are doing splendid work. Ethel Wixson, Margaret Boroff, Ethel Barber and Ethel Richards, are very proud of the records they made Monday evening.

The Chippewa Sewing Club held their monthly business meeting Tuesday after school. They won all contests and made a total of seventy-five baskets.

Have you tried the candy which the Seniors are selling? If not, don't fail to do so. You will surely miss a treat.

Miss Hawkes—"Is there anything that you can do better than anyone else?"

Ralph—"Yes, I can read my own writing."

Mr. Hall—"What do you mean by saying Benedict Arnold was a janitor?"

Olive—"It says here that after his exile he spent the rest of his days in abasement."

Mr. Payne—"What excuse have you to offer for being late this morning?"

Ethel Barber—"I hurried so fast I didn't have time to think of one."

Now that the monthly "tests" are over we are all able to smile again.

Geometry class has begun the study of Polygons.

The English class, taught by Mr. Payne, are very interested in "The Merchant of Venice," by Shakespeare. They have completed Enoch Arden and Julius Caesar.

Primary Notes

Our Halloween party last Friday was a great surprise to the Primary room. Every one enjoyed a fine afternoon.

We regret very much the loss of one of our Second Graders, Margaret Hildred, who has moved away.

We are glad to have the nurse with us again.

Those not ready or absent last month were: Edna Ensign, Andy Arnold, Rose Lewis, Helen Chappell, Elsie Weaver, Alan Long, Catherine Ensign, Edith Baldwin, Orville Murphy, Marie Horton, Elmer Barber and Grace Harman.

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Teacher, Teacher, all day teacher, Nightie, Nightie, markie papers, Nevie Sleepie.

No one huggie, no one kissie, Poo' ol' maddie—no one lovie!

Ruth—"Say, do you know a fellow down your way with one leg named Jones?"

Julian (doubtfully)—"I'm not sure. What's the name of the other leg?"

That Settles It.

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School Notes

Editors: Marius Hanson, Isbrand Harder, Ellen Speck.

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When We Were Young and Foolish

When we were young and foolish, In the days of long ago, We sat in the farthest corner Of the three of us in a row; When we were young and foolish, In the days of long ago.

When we were young and foolish In the days of long ago, The teacher used to scold For talking a lot you know, When we were young and foolish In the days of long ago.

But now that we are older And not so young and gay, Our parents now look over The bad deeds of that past day; When we were young and foolish, And also full of play.

Coch Cushman's eleven met Mancelona on the local field Friday afternoon. It was a fast game from the start. Although neither team scored during the first half, Grayling played much better than Mancelona. After the half, however, the game began to tell on the Grayling team. Grayling made one touchdown while Mancelona made three and also the try-for-point in each case, closing the game with a score of 21 to 6 in favor of Mancelona.

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That a man in the Klamath got the law.

Even a gang of smooth American Jews.

That some fellow in Burns, Who knew a man who claimed to know

A hermit who lived beside a lake Whose mother-in-law will undertake To prove a friend's sister's news

Has stated in a nicely written piece That she has a son who knows about The date when the new Ford comes out.

Mr. Ford bought one of the early cotton gins the other day. Now we know what the new Ford will be like.

I went to the Senior's class meeting Friday. The secretary submitted the following: "Usual meeting was called to order by the usual person during the usual hour with the usual form. President called for roll as usual. No additions or corrections as usual business followed. As usual the treasurer left her report at home. The reading of the report was postponed until next meeting as usual. Usual time cut. Usual disagreement. Usual motion for adjournment in order, moved as usual. Usual motion for adjournment by Earle Gierke, seconded as usual by Edward Mason. The usual uproar and rushing for door. As usual Isbrand Harder."

Some people's heads are only used to keep their ears from rubbing together.

Henry LaGrow in a large Oldsmobile was going along the road and got stuck in the mud at the bottom of a long steep hill. Along came a thing, a Ford by name, belonging to Louis Konvicka. Louis offered his assistance.

"Well, you pull me out with that car," replied Henry. "That's impossible. You can't even make the hill yourself."

"Well, if you want me to, I'll try my luck at it." Laughing at the impossibility of the thing, Henry said, "Well, if you think you can do it, go ahead."

The Ford easily yanked the car out of the mud and pulled it up the hill. At the top Henry said, "Say, what's all that smoke coming out of your car?"

"Well, I'll be darned!" answered Louis. "I had my brakes on all the time."

The Senior's Halloween party was enjoyed by many on Saturday evening. Considering the weather, a large crowd was present including a number of outsiders from Gaylord, Roscommon and Alpena. A good time was had by all.

Mr. Smith (after examining Mr. Cushman's apartment) "You sure have a nice place to live in. I wish I could afford a place like this."

Mr. Cushman—"Yes, you married men may have your better halves but we bachelors have better quarters."

The football game Friday with Mancelona was in the visitors favor. Our boys fought a very close game each moment being of interest to the crowd.

There is plenty of noise and rattling paper in Miss Adams' session. She says, "I want the assembly kept quiet."

The members of the boys club held a sandwich sale Friday to raise funds for the club.

Alva Stephan is back in school after several days of sickness.

Isbrand H—"What was that rooster crowing about at 6 o'clock this morning?"

Helena H—"Oh, that was nothing. I remember when you got up at 7:30 you crowed about it for a week."

Doctor—"You said your father was injured in an explosion. How did it happen?"

Child—"Well, mother said it was too much yeast, but father said it was too much sugar."

The Sixth Grade

Miss T. Smith, Teacher.

The Sixth A class has been having a contest in Geography between the boys and the girls. They have been learning the states and capitals of New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

Miss Ashdon and Miss Smith's rooms had a Halloween Party Friday evening. Ghost stories were enjoyed during the course of the evening in which a real ghost appeared. A good time was had by all.

Ruth C—"There's that sweet Jack Mitten, isn't he a lamb. So write me—strong."

Henry L—"Do you know him?"

Burt—"Not exactly, but the darling kicked me once in the old Charleston days."

Winter Apples

Those of you who want

GOOD WINTER APPLES

hand picked and graded from properly sprayed and cultivated orchards, which means good keepers and good flavor, can see and buy

Northern Spies, Starks Delicious, Jonathans, King, Wagners, Baldwins, Steels Red, Tolman Sweets and Snows,

at Gaylord, in the old Morgan store building, next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 3rd 4th and 5th. Everything quality stuff. Also will have a quantity of Concord Grapes for table use and juice—the last of the season. Bring your jugs and get some real Apple Cider.

B. C. GILBERT

Interesting Events In Grayling 25 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 25 YEARS AGO.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson was buried last Friday.

Chris Jensen had a hand crippled by a cogwheel in the shingle mill, last Thursday. He lost a finger.

Snow squalls last Tuesday whitened the face of the earth several times for a few moments.

Salling, Hanson & Co., brought in a carload of fine heavy horses last week for their lumber camps.

Mrs. Tubbs and daughter returned from an extended visit to Gatriot county last week, and Mr. T. is happy as he got tired of "baching."

Mr. and Mrs. John Everett have returned from a five-weeks trip with their horse and carriage, visiting in the south and east part of the state. It was a delightful outing for both.

Jas. Johnson, who has been foreman of H. C. Ward's big farm in Maple Forest for several years, has packed his "turkey" and started for the great Northwest.

Wm. Woodfield is unusually smiling all on account of a pair of chestnut horses and new harness in front of the delivery wagon. They are newbies and will lose nothing in his hands.

Julius Kramer has thoroughly repaired and painted his store building, the old express office, and is moving his tailoring business there. He will have one of the most pleasant rooms in town.

The Grayling Cigar Co., is the latest addition to our manufacturing interests. They are situated on the second story of C. Hanson's building, and are putting out a fine brand of smokers' Messrs. L. Mould and J. Young, comprise the firm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ingerson gave an entertainment at their home last week, which was attended by both young and old people, which will be remembered by those in attendance. It was given as a surprise to Wm. and Art Ingerson, who are leaving out a home for themselves on the "worthless plains," that any old settler might be proud of. Every member of the family was present. Dancing was engaged in, to the sweet music furnished by Messrs. Tubbs and Lamont, until 3 a.m., after which a bounteous lunch was served, consisting of ham and sandwiches, pumpkin pie, cake, grapes, etc., when the guests departed after receiving a hearty invitation to "come again."

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

November 6th, 1927.

At 10:30 a. m. the Pastor will bring the third address in the series entitled "Snapshots of the Disciples of Jesus." The character for this study will be "James, the Silent Man."

At 7:30 p. m. the address will be for the purpose of getting across a fundamental in the Gospel, and to quicken interest in some of our great poems. The poem for next Sunday night will be "Invictus" by Henley.

A Thought for the Week

That home which rules its child hood with military rigidity, and lack of affectionate care, is no more to be desired than is the Church, which seeks to make the Christian Religion a set of rules to be obeyed, a series of prohibitions to be observed.

The Methodist Church used to have a series of rules. There is a period in the life of a child when rules are understood—since love is not intelligent enough to choose the right. But

when love becomes intelligent, it seeks "to do those things which please unto Him." We have come to that place in our Church where we are more concerned about furnishing new motives in the life so that the very act of making choices gives strength to the Christian. We cannot categorize sins. So the Church has substituted suggestions—ways for a healthy spiritual life, and has done away with the rules.

Paragraph 6 reads in part: "We beseech every member of the Church absolutely to avoid 'the taking such diversions as cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus.' The social appeals of our modern day are too many to suggest what must be avoided and what must be chosen. For, 'We believe that the social and recreational instinct is God-given and, if properly guided, will strengthen rather than injure the spiritual life.' The Church is very much aware that often those who have observed the used-to-be-rules in punctilious manner have not been so deliberate in the keeping of such other suggestions as refer to ill-temper, gossip, covetousness, and the bearing of ill-will. How vicious such practices are, and how hurtful to the lives of ourselves and others, all know.

Return of the Vanquished



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